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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

This preliminary amendment is respectfully submitted in connection with the above-referenced application.

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please amend the paragraph located in the '407 Patent at col. 3, lines 56-58 which begins "Plastic end caps" as follows:

Plastic end caps 41 (FIGS. 1 and 2) [(not shown)] on the ends of the spars prevent T-nuts from falling out of T-slots 32⁷¹ and seal the lower spars 22 and 24 to improve dust removal.